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SEAN F. McAVOY, CLERK
DEPUTY
YAKIMA, WASHINGTON

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

RE. KENNETH ROWELL

MY NAME IS HOWARD ROWELL I AM KENS DAD. I HAVE LIVED IN PASCO WA. ALL MY LIFE. I AM MARRIED TO LINDA ROWELL, KENS MOTHER.

WE HAVE NINE CHILDREN. WE HAVE BEEN MARRIED FIFTY YEARS THIS MARCH. WE HAVE RUN SUCCESSFUL BUSINESSES FOR OVER FORTY YEARS IN PASCO WA. MY WIFE RAN SIGNS BY SUE

AND I RAN H.A. ROWELL AUCTIONEERS. WE HAVE TAUGHT OUR CHILDREN TO HAVE GOOD WORK HABITS. SOME OF OUR CHILDREN ARE SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS OWNERS.

NOW TO KENNY.

KENNY HAS GOOD WORK HABITS, IS A SKILLED EQUIPMENT OPERATOR, MECHANIC AND HAS EXCELLENT PEOPLE SKILLS. HE IS A GOOD FATHER TO HIS DAUGHTERS. A HARD WORKER, HE STARTED A SUCCESSFUL RECYCLING BUSINESS AND ATTENDED AUCTIONEER SCHOOL.

AND WAS ON THE ROAD TO STARTING TO TAKE OVER MY AUCTION BUSINESS.

NOW TO THE QUESTION OF HIM GETTING OUT ON RELEASE.

I PROBABLY KNOW KEN BETTER THAN ANYONE ELSE. HE HAS ALWAYS BEEN HONEST WITH ME AND MY WIFE. AS YOU ARE AWARE, HE IS OUT ON BAIL FROM BENTON COUNTY \$30,000 HE GUARANTEED ME HE WOULD STAY WITH ME AND MAKE ALL HIS COURT APPEARANCES. HE WAS MAKING A COURT APPEARANCE AS AGREED WHEN THE U.S. MARSHALS ARRESTED HIM IN KENNEWICK.

I BELIEVE THE RECORD WILL INDICATE THAT KENNY HAS FOLLOWED THROUGH ON ALL HIS PROBATION AGREEMENTS, HAS NOT HAD ANY INFRACTIONS WHEN HE HAS BEEN INCARCERATED.

KENNY IS NOT A VIOLENT PERSON I BELIEVE HIS RECORD WILL SHOW THAT HE HAS A VERY GOOD HEART TOWARDS OTHERS. HE DOESN'T HAVE ANY VIOLENT CHARGES THAT I AM AWARE OF.

KENNY HAS A DRUG PROBLEM METH I UNDERSTAND. I'M TOLD ITS LIKE HAVING AHOLD OF A TRAIN GOING A HUNDRED MILES AN HOUR AND YOU CAN'T LET GO. KENNY HAS BEEN OFF THE METH LONG ENOUGH THAT HE HAS LET GO.

WHEN HE WAS PAROLED TO US HE MADE AGREEMENTS WITH US AND THE BAIL BONDSMAN THAT HE WOULD MAKE ALL APPEARANCES AS REQUIRED. NOT HAVE CONTACT

WITH ANYONE HE WAS DOING DRUGS WITH, AND STAY WITH US. HE GAVE HIS CELL PHONE TO HIS MOM AND SAID ' I DON'T NEED THIS ANY LONGER'. HE HAS FOLLOWED THROUGH WITH HIS HIS PROMISES. ALSO I HAVE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BAIL BONDSMAN THAT IF I EVEN SUSPECT KENNY IS DOING ANYTHING WRONG I'LL REPORT KEN TO HIM. KEN KNOWS I WON'T LIE FOR HIM.

KEN WAS WORKING WITH ME AT THE AUCTION TO PAY ROOM AND BOARD AND TO MAKE SOME MONEY FOR CHILD SUPPORT AND FINES.

IF KEN IS RELEASED TO US WE WILL KEEP A CLOSE EYE ON HIM AND FOLLOW WHAT THE COURT DICTATES.

OUR SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS MY WIFE IS RETIRED I STILL WORK. WE ARE SERVING A MISSION FOR THR CHURCH OF JESUS OF LATTERDAY SAINTS BISHOPS STOREHOUSE ON TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY (KEN WAS GOING AND WORKING WITH US ON THOSE DAYS AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO IF RELEASED). KEN NEEDS A DRUG TREATMENT PROGRAM.

KEN IS NOT A VIOLENT PERSON AND WILL KEEP HIS APPEARANCES AND FOLLOW THE COURTS DIRECTIONS. HE KNOWS HE SCREWED UP AND HAS TO PAY FOR HIS MISTAKES. THE COURT SEES A BAD RECORD I SEE A YOUNG MAN WITH A DRUG PROBLEM.

IF YOU WORKED OR SOCIALIZED WITH HIM YOU WOULD BE SUPRISED WITH HIS RECORD. YOU WOULD SEE A DIFFERENT PERSON.

THANKS FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION

HOWARD ROWELL (KENS DAD)

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PASCO WA [REDACTED]
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To whom it may concern,

RE: Kenneth Richard Rowell

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I am Tim Rowell, Kenny's older brother, I am writing in his behalf.

Many times I have worked close with Kenny. He has always been positive, fun and uplifting to work with. He has been honest and hard working with me and the customers that we have worked with. He built a business from the ground up with very little help or capital from me or his parents. I feel that he can be of great value to the community.

Kenny has two young daughters that benefit greatly from any time spent with him. He is a good father and takes pride in providing for them.

He has never been a violent person. He has struggled with drugs (meth). That seems to bring him down in the worst ways. When the relapse was realized we pulled together as a family, took him to the treatment center, and he was denied due to being a registered sex offender from an incident that happened when he was 11 years old. That indecent has plagued him for all of his life. Treatment would be of great service to him.

He does have a solid foundation and a full support system within his community and family.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,
Tim Rowell

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Kennewick, Wa. [REDACTED]

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To whom it may concern,

I have known Kenny Rowell since he was a young boy, and have watched him grow up. Obviously he has made some poor choices in his life due to his involvement with drugs. I have observed that drugs change a persons values and they make poor decisions, this is the case with Kenny in my judgment.

Kenny is not violent at all, he is very kind to others, and is a fun and loving father.

He has related to me that he really wants to get his life straightened out.

He has the ability and willingness to earn a living, to support his family.

I hope he can stay in mainstream society.

I do not see Kenny as a threat to others.

Sincerely,

Brent Pierce

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